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AMERICAN FIRE DEPARTMENTS.

A Briton Who Says They Have Not Advanced in Ten Years.

(New York Times.)

Captain E. M. Shaw of the Fire Department of London arrived in this city yesterday, bound homeward, after an extended excursion through the Southern and Western States. He visited nearly all the prominent cities of the country, and paid careful attention everywhere to the Fire Departments. Evidently he has not been instructed. "I visited the United States ten years ago," he said last night, "and then the Fire Departments were away behind the age. Since that time the rest of the world has far advanced; here not a single step onward has been made. In fact, I have noticed many evidences of a decidedly retrograde movement." The London Chief inveighed strongly against the influence of politics in the service. The "best American fireman," seemed to be the individual "who had the strongest pull upon the political string." Looked at from this standpoint the American system was simply rotten. A man had no need for training here; it was of much more value to have a friend in power. He had heard a great deal of boasting, he said, about the wonderfully trained firemen of New York. They had talked to him loudly and long of the magnificent drill of the department. He had seen it all, and it all amounted to a little exhibition of harnessing horses. And this Captain Shaw serenely set down upon as "absurdly useless, you know." If it be of so great importance to rush out to a fire, why not keep the horses continually harnessed and at the carriage and the men awake and at their posts? He was confident that this would be cheaper. Captain Shaw also found fault with the uniforms of the firemen in all the cities of the country. They may be serviceable, but they are not pretty. "American firemen on duty look like caricatures," remarked the visiting London man, with an equally charming frankness, declaring that the native firemen haven't the faintest idea of the work to be done at a fire, or the way to do it. He was very sorry that he couldn't have them in London for a while. He had no doubt that in time they could be so trained as to compare fairly with some of his men. Captain Shaw has discovered that there is a terrible waste of money on this side of the ocean. "The truth is," he said, "the politicians and the maker sof the fire machines have been running things their own way; and it looks as though they were going to keep right along in the same track." He had seen ladders here which he had been informed cost $4,000. In his experience his department had never bought but one ladder that cost over £100. They couldn't afford to buy ladders at such an enormous price. He was in the habit of paying £400 for a fire engine; it would be extravagance to pay more. Here he had seen machines costing from $10,000 to $18,000. The low-priced English engines he was certain are superior to the high-priced American ones. The hose used, he says is of a very inferior quality, and sold at a basely extortionate price. Captain Shaw made merry at the pretensions of American firemen. He will return to his home, he admitted, better satisfied than ever with London, her fire department, and himself.

THE CONDITION of the Bench in the Court of Sessions during Erskine's time is illustrated by the following anecdote: At the conclusion of the speeches in a case, the Judge, Lord Polkemmet, addressed the advocates as follows: "Weel, Maister Askine (Erskine), I hae heard you, an' I thocht ye were richt; syne I heard you, Daavid, an' I thocht ye were richt; and noo I hae heard Maister Clerk, an' I think he's the richtest amang ye. That bauthers me, ye see. Sae I maun e'en tak' hame the process, an' whamble't i' my wame a wee, ower my toddy—an syne ye'se hae an interlocitor."

WHEN George IV. and Alderman Sir William Curtis appeared in full Highland costume—and the alderman, at all events, cut a most absurd figure—the king bit his lip and said, "I hope I do not look like that; at all events, that my kilt is not so short." Lady Jane Hamilton Dalrymple made him a low curtsey, and said, "As your Majesty stays so short a time in Scotland the more we see of you the better."

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The British Outfit.

The immense outfit required for a large army in time of war is well shown by an article in the London *Times*, which gives the complete equipment of the army now in Egypt, which numbers, it will be rememered, about 25,000 men. It is impossible to reproduce the complete catalogue of details, but some extracts will prove both novel and interesting. In the camp equipment of each cavalry regiment are eight axes, 115 camp kettles, ninety-one baskets, seventy-three reaping hooks, ten lanterns, 540 white forage cords and an equal number of saddle covers, sixty-four mallets, seventeen mauls, 540 heel rope pegs, 165 picket posts, 540 tarred head ropes, thirty-seven cornsacks, eight pickaxes, thirty-two spades, complete set collarmakers' and saddlers' tools, nine carriage brushes, 611 pounds of grease, a pint of linseed oil, four quarts of sweet oil, one set of signaling implements, one set of tools for opening packages, one set of tools pertaining to small arms, four sets farriers' and shoeingsmiths' tools, two chests veterinary appliances, eight pairs of handcuffs, one set of butchers' implements, one tarpaulin for each cart, ten staff sergeants' kits, and veterinary stores. The ordnance stores for each regiment were 10,080 rounds of carbine ammunition and 1200 rounds of revolver ammunition.

In each infantry battalion there were fifteen pocket-filters to each 100 men, one tent to each ten men, one blanket for each man, twenty-six axes, forty-four buckets, one camp kettle for each five men, twenty-five reaping hooks, the stable necessities, which are almost numberless, four pickaxes, two crowbars, and nine spades for intrenching tools, one chest of signalling implements, eight ambulance stretchers, two pairs of handcuffs, one chest of butchery implements, one set of package opening tools, twenty-one pack saddles and eight staff surgeons' kits. The ordnance stores of each regiment consists of 28,800 rounds of cartridges and 727 revolver cartridges. The scale of clothing for each man one waterproof sheet, two jerseys, one pair of boots, one puttee, one extra blanket and one flannel belt. The commissary stores consisted of the following articles: Preserved meat, biscuits, flour, malt hops, baking powder, potatoes, frozen meats, tea, coffee, sugar, pepper, salt, groceries, boxes, sugar boxes, compressed vegetables. Erbawurst rations: lime juice, tobacco, medical comforts in boxes, condensed milk, extractum carnis, arrowroot, Scotch barley, cocoa and milk in tins, brandy, port, essence of beef, soup in tins, Burgundy, claret, champagne, cupralum powder, carbolic acid powder, McDougall's powder, sulphur, ale, porter, soap, compressed hay, compressed hay cake, compressed grain cake, oats, compressed forage, candles, cheese, tin-openers, sausages and tinned tongues in quantities required for a period of two months for 25,000 men. Of groceries there were three months' supply of tea, coffee, sugar and cheese.

A SPOON EXTRACTED FROM A MAN'S STOMACH.—Some few days since a waiter employed at a café on the Boulevard Rochechouart undertook, for the amusement of some customers, to swallow a spoon. His idea was to merely pretend to swallow it, but to his surprise he did swallow it in reality. He was conveyed in great agony to the Larisboiser Hospital, where he has since remained, awaiting the construction of special instruments for the performance of an operation. On Tuesday this was performed by M. Felizet. He first made and incision in the epigastric region. After a complete cleansing of the stomach by the Faucher tube, the special apparatus contrived for the occasion enabled the operator to dilate the cavity so as to bring it to the opening of the wound, thus facilitating the search for and the extraction of the foreign substance. The operation, including the time occupied by the administration of chloroform, lasted forty-five minutes. The spoon measured no less than nine and one-half inches. No doubt is entertained as to the recovery of the patient. *Cardiff, Wales, Times, Sept. 16th.*

The indications of the approaching season seem to threaten an unusual amount of the various forms of bowel complaints. Our readers would do well to supply themselves with some reliable remedy like Doctor Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, as a safeguard against sudden attacks of Cholera Morbus, Colic, Dysentery, &c., that unless promptly treated are often suddenly fatal. (20)

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se1 D. W. MOOR.

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IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate at Hesquiat Harbor, Vancouver Island, described as follows:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of No. 12; from thence West 40 chains; from thence North 40 chains; from thence East 40 chains; from thence South 40 chains to post at point of commencement.

THOS. SHOTBOLT.
Victoria, Aug. 31, 1882. se3

TO THE ELECTORS OF YALE-KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

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I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
se12dw F. J. BARNARD.

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IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate at Flores Island, West of Vancouver Island, described as follows:—

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L. GOODACRE.
Victoria, Aug. 30th, 1882. se3

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IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres o land situate in the Land Recording District of Cayoos, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the Southern boundary of Lot 106, about 6 chains from the Southwest corner of said Lot; thence true South 14 chains; thence true East 60 chains; thence true South 40 chains; thence true West 40 chains; thence true North 60 chains, more or less, to the Southern boundary of Lot 106; thence Southwest, along the Southern boundary of Lot 105, to the point of commencement.

J. C. HAYNES.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7th, 1882. se13

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WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT that regulations should be made as to the storage and carriage of Petroleum, Coal Oil, Naptha and other combustible matter within the City Limits.

BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. No person shall keep in any wooden shed or building on storage or for sale any Petroleum, Coal Oil, Naptha, Burning Fluid or other combustible matter in quantities greater than 50 gallons, if contained in wooden casks, or 100 gallons if stored in metal cases, without a License from the Corporation.

2. No person without such License shall keep in any brick or stone building any of the aforesaid articles in quantities greater than 250 gallons if contained in wood, or 1,000 gallons if stored in metal cases.

3. Every License shall specify the building, street or locality, and the quantity in gallons of the combustible articles before mentioned which may be stored therein.

4. The premises in or upon which any of the combustible articles aforesaid shall be stored shall be open at all times to the inspection of the Corporation or its Officers.

5. The Corporation may, before any License shall be granted as aforesaid, require such precautions to be taken against fire as they may deem necessary.

6. No person shall remove on any dray, cart, waggon or other vehicle any combustible matter in quantities greater than 250 gallons at any one time.

7. Any person or persons refusing or neglecting to comply with any of the provision or requirements of this Bylaw, or guilty of any infraction thereof, shall upon conviction thereof be subject to a fine of not less than $5 or more than $50.

8. Every penalty imposed by this Bylaw may, together with the costs of conviction, be recovered in a summary manner before the Police Magistrate, or any Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the limits of the City of Victoria, and may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender; and in default of payment of such penalty and costs, then by imprisonment of such offender for any term not exceeding one calendar month in one of Her Majesty's gaols.

This Bylaw may be cited as the "Petroleum Bylaw, 1892."

Reconsidered and finally passed this 28th day of September, A. D. 1882.

NOAH SHAKESPEARE,
Mayor.
{C. S.} WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
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THOS. SHOTBOLT.
Victoria, B.C., 8th Sept, 1882. se10

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small island containing about 100 acres, situated directly between Secretary and Narrow Islands, and nearly due North of Salt Spring Island.

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THREE EARLY BIRDS THAT DIDN'T CATCH THE EARLY WORMS.

We read in yesterday's organ of the Grit local government an interesting item of intelligence, a perusal of which must have filled the few readers of the organ with hope and confidence if it has not excited them to enthusiasm. Under the heading of "Graving Dock" the announcement is made that "Hon. Mr. Beaven, accompanied by Mr. Morris, one of the engineers-in-chief, and Mr. Bennett, resident engineer of the dock, visited the works early (mark the "early," ye sluggards) yesterday morning in order to avail themselves of the opportunity to inspect the cofferdam at low tide." The point and pith of this quotation lies in the word "early," and it is left to the imagination of the reader to conjure up a picture of the extraordinary amount of energy which the chief commissioner and the engineers summoned to their command before they could prevail on themselves to leave their beds in the gray of a rainy morning and wade through the slumgullion of the harbor bottom in search of—what does the reader think? "Worms." Just fancy the chief commissioner of lands and works, the engineer-in-chief and the resident engineer, with their legs encased in long gumboots, and armed each with a bottle of vermifuge, exploring the foundations of the cofferdam for—"worms." Not pin worms, or tape worms, or earth worms, but marine worms. Egad! but it must have been a rare sight to behold the chief commissioner, who has been whistling to keep his courage up for the past month or two, trying to coax the little worms out of their little nests while the engineers stood ready to pour a spoonful of the anti-worm mixture down each wormy throat. "First catch your hare, then skin it," is the well known direction with which an English recipe for cooking a hare and commences. "First catch your worm, then physic him," was the motto with which these three gentlemen wallowed in the slum of the cofferdam on Tuesday. The paragraph continues:

"A careful and interesting examination was made and it was found that the piles and woodwork are in a good state of preservation, although in several instances there is evidence of the ravages of the marine worm."

The "piles and woodwork are in a good state of preservation," are they? This does not agree with the investigation of Mr. Walkem, the result of which he referred to the house with melodramatic effect while holding in his hand a piece of honeycombed pile which, he alleged, was sawed from a cofferdam pile. "Mr. Speaker," quoth he, "I venture the prediction that as soon as the water has been pumped out the cofferdam will fall to pieces." That statement was made four years ago. It is two years since the water was pumped out and, according to the three "early birds" who went hunting for "worms" early on Tuesday morning, the dam is in a good state of preservation. One of the excuses the government gave for declining to pay REED BROTHERS & Co. was that the cofferdam was "rotten." Is not that shameful libel more than refuted by the latest report of the chief commissioner and the government engineers? The extraordinary condescension and vigorous energy of the trio in turning out of their warm beds "early" in the morning is thus "put" by the organ:

"The visit and examination are additional proof, if any were required, that the government is paying every attention to the important work and at the same time guarding the interests of the taxpayers."

Wonderful condescension; extraordinary energy; remarkable assiduity. One almost imagines he hears the chief commissioner warbling the well-worn lines, "I'm off by the morning train," as he doffs his nightcap and plunges into his longlegged rubbers; and when the party, well fortified within, fully equipped without and armed with worm-exterminator leap from their boat and sink in the soft ooze of the harbor in the prosecution of their search the public is reminded of CHAS. KINGSLEY'S poem, "Three Fishers went a-Sailing." Well, it is gratifying to know that the excursion was not bootless or fruitless, since the newspaper records that they actually found a few evidences of "worms." As the hunter is said to follow a bear by his tracks, so the three prospectors for worms discovered the "ravages" of the insect. It is left to the imagination to find out whether they used up all or any of the vermifuge; or, for the matter of that, whether they caught any worms, or met with the proverbial "fisherman's luck." The newspaper leaves everything in the dark, gives the country to understand that although worms had been there or thereabouts it is no indication that they were still at work. It is possible—nay, probable—that about four years ago the worms merely entered the piles to sustain the reputation of Mr. Walkem for veracity; and that having discharged that duty they departed in search of "fresh woods" of softer fibre that would not set their teeth on edge, leaving only their "ravages" to mark that they ever existed. The public may extract, as the Grit organ asserts, a grain of comfort from the item in the organ. It is this: That the chief commissioner and the engineers have got their eyes on the worms. They have had their eyes on the dock for some years; and it is earnestly to be hoped that as worm-killers they will achieve a greater measure of success than has attended their efforts as dock-builders.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS AND WITNESSES IN COURT.

An agitation has begun in England to bring about a reformation in the mode of treating the prisoner when on trial in that country. The agitation might extend to this province with good results. To see a man on trial for his life clinging all through a long day to the railings in front of the dock, almost dropping from fatigue, and far too tired to give his full mind to what is going on, is indeed a melancholy and disgraceful sight. There is in England, it is true, a low bench usually at the back of the dock, on which the judge sometimes offers the miserable creature a seat, but if the poor wretch accepts it he finds himself, to all practicable purposes, out of the court. He can perhaps, if he be a full-grown man, just see the top of his counsel's wig when thus seated, but he is far removed from all communication with him, and he must have particularly good ears if he can catch one word out of six of the evidence upon which his life depends. In France the prisoner has a comfortable seat in a convenient position for hearing, and it is found that a couple of officers, one on each side, are quite as successful in preventing any attempt at escape or violence on his part as are the spikes and railings of the English dock. In British Columbia there is no seat in the dock, and we have seen pale, careworn men, debilitated by long confinement, compelled to stand all day long and sometimes far into the night listening to the weary details of a trial on the event of which their life or liberty depends. It is a system of torture, the abolishment of which we hope to see the government which will soon be formed take in hand. Witnesses should also be allowed to be seated while giving their evidence, but only in extreme cases is the favor now granted.

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Merchant Tailor, Johnson street, has just received and is now opening for inspection everything in gentlemen's wear; also, business suits and overcoats of all kinds, which will be sold cheaper than ever before in Victoria; also a large invoice of French whitneys and beaver cloths and fancy cassimeres, West of England cloths and cassimeres, Scotch and Canadian tweeds, which will be made to order in the most approved style. *

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New Westminster, Oct. 17, 1882. oc19

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JOS. BLACKBOURN,
Nicola Lake, B.C.
Sept. 16, 1882 se24dw

ESTATE OF JOHN SHELFORD, DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the said estate are requested to send them to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of November next; and all persons indebted will please pay at once.
J. C. PREVOST, Administrator.
Victoria, Oct. 2d, 1882. oc3

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From the 5th ultimo
TO THURSDAY, THE 19TH OCTOBER.
THE USUAL BALL WILL BE HELD IN THE EVENING.
J. W. BRETHOUR,
oc1dw Secretary.

CARD FROM DELUGE ENGINE CO.

WE THE MEMBERS OF DELUGE ENGINE Co. No. 1, through our Foreman, most distinctly assert that Theo. Eaton, charged with robbery at the Dillard House fire, on the 1st inst., never was a member of Deluge Engine Co. No. 1.
(Signed) C. J. PHILLIPS,
Foreman Deluge Engine Co. No. 1.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 6th, 1882. oc6 1w

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NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARRIED ON by me in Victoria as Piano, Music and Musical Instrument Importer, under the name of Bagnall & Co., has been assigned as from the 1st day of September, 1882, to John Bagnall, of Victoria, who will carry on the business under the same firm name.
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Victoria, Aug. 20th 1882. se3

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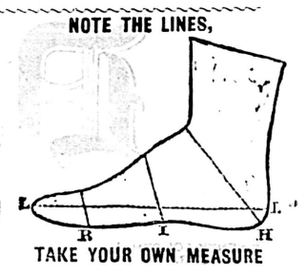

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It will be the aim of the proprietor to leave nothing undone to give entire satisfaction to patrons, and as it will be managed with the strictest economy the CHARGES will be VERY MODERATE.
W. H. LEWIS.
Victoria, Oct. 9th, 1882. oc10

NOTICE

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF Phillipe Girod are to be sent in to Messrs. A. CASAMAYOU & CO. or the undersigned on or before the 25th of November, 1882, or to
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IN COMMON WITH ALL CITIZENS OF "THE SUNSET PROVINCE," WE this day join in giving
"CEAD MILLE FAILTHE"
To our Noble Visitors, and make this a red letter day by a total suspension of Business. We do not, however, consider it desirable to put up the shutters and pull down the blinds of our respective places of business, thereby giving to the streets of our beautiful city a funereal appearance. We therefore propose to display our Choicest Wares during the day, and have a GRAND GASLIGHT EXHIBITION AT NIGHT.

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We have just opened an assortment of goods, which for Variety, Quality and Style are absolutely unequalled in the Province, and we invite the Visitors to and Ladies of Victoria, the Wives and Mothers, the Sisters and Daughters, the Mothers-in-Law and Maiden Aunts, the Neices and Country Cousins, the Grandmothers and new made Brides, those about to marry, those who are married already, those who never intend to marry, those who would like to marry, and those who wish they hadn't, to call at their earliest convenience and inspect our stock. We propose to give another
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Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 19TH, 1882.

TELEPHONIC.

THE COLONIST editorial rooms are in telephoni communication with the central office, with Esquimalt and with the residence of the proprietor. Parties having news or other information to communicate will confer a favor by transmitting it to this office through the instrument of the nearest subscriber.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Oct. 18—Str Western Slope, New Westminster
Sch Bonanza, Nassimo
Str Hope, Friday Harbor

CLEARED.

Oct. 18—Str Western Slope, New Westminster
Str Hope, Friday Harbor

PASSENGERS.

Per str WILSON G. HUNT, from Nanaimo—Mrs Ramsay, G Wingate, G Mills, C Bruce, M Halloran, J German, A Knappe, Northcote, G Keir, J Alexander, Lakin.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The Guaranteed Circulation of "The Colonist" is more than double that of any other Newspaper Published in the Province. Advertisers and others are invited to visit the Pressroom for the purpose of verifying the above statement.

What Some People Say.

That a block of one of the timbers of the old theatre building will be deposited in the Mechanics' Institute, to show the wonderful durability of Douglas fir under circumstances not favorable to its preservation.

That the timber, after nearly 40 years' use, is as sound as the day it was first cut in a grove which stood where Yates and Government streets now run.

That the coming season in Victoria bids fair to be unusually gay. Cause, the great improvement in the times.

That Nanaimo is profusely and handsomely decorated in anticipation of the arrival of the Marquis and Princess.

That the Princess Louise will not go to Nanaimo at all; which will be a great disappointment to those hospitable people.

That the reported depredations of footpads have sensibly reduced the number of persons who walk "down town" of an evening.

That paterfamilias stays at home now and oils his trusty revolver.

That the saloons complain of a falling off in consequence of the reports.

That Saanich fairs to-day.

That Stevenson's four-horse coach will carry passengers to and from Saanich fair to-day. Fare $1 50, if the load is full.

That the defaulting paying teller of the Bank of British North America, San Francisco, is named Burt, not Burke, as telegraphed.

That typhoid fever is somewhat prevalent in town.

That the result of the Yale election will be announced to-day at Kamloops.

That the R. P. Rithet has hauled off for the season.

That Newman & Cameron, The Tailors, are prepared for business on an extensive scale.

That the local grit organ continues to claim that the government have carried Yale. And the ballots have not yet been counted at Kamloops.

That there must be something rotten in the Yale ballot boxes.

That rain, nothing but rain, with a high glass.

That young Gilligan has nearly recovered from the effects of his recent accident. His net losses are three front teeth.

That the luminous appearance of the moon when setting behind the clouds last evening, gave rise to a report that a conflagration was raging at Sooke.

That we are advised from the office in San Francisco that no one in British Columbia holds the exclusive right to sell the famous Beacon light oil. *

NAVAL.

Reported that a Great Fleet will Rendezvous Here in April.

Rear Admiral Lyons will arrive on this station in April in the flagship Swiftsure, 18, armourplated. It is reported that the flagship will be accompanied by all save one or two of H. M. ships now on the southern station, and that a portion of the China fleet will also meet here. In all it is thought some thirteen war ships will assemble on this station.

Similkameen and Rock Creek.

Mr. Allison arrived from the above section yesterday. In crossing the mountain his horse fell with him, injuring the rider's ankles and one foot. Snow falls daily in the mountains. The Chinese miners at Princeton are averaging $5 a day to the hand, having discovered diggings in the bank near Mr. Allison's house.

"AS THE TWIG IS BENT, SO IS THE TREE INCLINED." The truth of this old adage is forcibly brought to mind when one sees a man or woman disfigured by a crooked spine or stooping shoulders, and one mentally exclaims, if that person had only had proper care when young, that awkward figure might have been avoided. Dr. Gray's Anatomical Shoulder Supporters, Langley & Co., Yates street, sole agents. 2w

INSURANCE.—Mr. John Nicholles has been appointed provincial agent for the City of London Fire Insurance Co.; the South British and National Insurance Co., and the Ætna Life Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn. These companies are all firstclass and the agency will, no doubt, capture a fair share of the business.

POLICE COURT.—In this court, yesterday, a Chinaman named Chin Hoe, charged with stealing a ring, was committed for trial. He asserts that he found the ring on the sidewalk and his counsel, Mr. Walls, made a vigorous effort to get him off; but the magistrate would not yield, and Hoe will have to "hoeh is own row" at the next assizes.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Western Slope left yesterday with freight and passengers for New Westminster and Burrard Inlet and for Yale per steamer Gertrude.

Municipal Council.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 19.

Council met at 7:55. Present—His Worship the Mayor in the chair, and Councillors Boyd, Wriglesworth, Baker, and Shears.

COMMUNICATIONS:

From Chief Engineer of Fire Department with regard to a dangerous chimney on the premises of P. Ousterhout, Store street, and stating that the matter had been attended to. Received and filed.

From J. R. Linton, of the schooner Experiment, again asking for $25 refund for which application had been previously made; as he had been shipwrecked, and had lost all he had. Referred to firewardens for report.

From G. Simpson, asking for the use of a portion of Broad street while effecting repairs to the Methodist church. Permission granted.

From L. G. McQuade, giving explanations with regard to a communication from the City Council with reference to the purchase of hose, and stating that no offence to the Council was intended in the matter. Referred to special hose committee.

REPORT.

From the Board of Delegates was read, to the effect that an investigation had been held in regard to the late fire at Bowman's stables and the Driard House. It stated that the Fire Department was never in a higher state of efficiency than at present, though few members were promptly on hand on that occasion. The fire alarm was characterized as being insufficient and not generally heard, and in consequence not many men were on hand at the commencement of the fire. Kinking of the hose caused several lengths to burst, owing to insufficiency of hands to lay it down properly. It further stated that if the attention of the Fire Brigade been devoted to the Driard House sooner, the consequences might have been still more disastrous, and that in their opinion it could not in any case have been saved. The report wound up with the assertion that no fault could be attributed in any way to the Fire Department, and that everything that could have been done was done on that occasion. The department, both officers and men, were fully exonerated from all blame.

A report from Supt. O'Connor in accordance with the request of the council was read in which the beat and whereabouts of each police officer and nightwatchman were enumerated on the morning of the fire at Bowman's stables and the Driard House. At first tap of the alarm bells, officers Hough and Flewin, special constables Speed and Gordon, and night-watchmen Black and Lindsay hastened to the fire and all not only assisted to get engines and apparatus to the ground and to work them, but attended to their more immediate duty of saving and protecting property. Officers Shepherd and McLeod who were off duty were also quickly on the spot and rendered valuable assistance till late on Sunday forenoon. Supt. O'Connor was likewise early at the scene of the fire and as soon as the hotel was in imminent danger warned the inmates of it and assisted in forming a bucket corps to prevent the roof from catching. He was also in communication with chief and assistan tengineers Borde and Wilson whenever it was necessary. The report says that every assistance that the police could give officially or otherwise was willingly rendered to all parties requiring their services; and that their services were rendered with promptitude, vigilance and efficiency.

Coun. Baker moved that both reports be referred to the Committee of the Whole, and that the Clerk be instructed to collect all possible information with reference to the question for a special meeting of the Council to be held at an early day.

Seconded and carried.

HACKS AND CABS.

Communication from R. Wallace, P.O. Inspector, was read, complaining of hacks and cabs standing in front of Post Office, and asking that some other place be found for them.

His Worship remarked that Mr. DeCosmos had complained of them, and had made application to the Chief of Police for their removal from the front of the *Standard* office, and that the P.O. Inspector had sent the letter just read to the Superintendent of Police also.

The by-law on the question was read, which gives the Superintendent of Police authority to order them to any part of the city, with the approval of the Mayor and Council.

Coun. Wriglesworth moved that the Suporintendent of Police be asked to report on the matter at next meeting of Council.

Coun. Boyd was of opinion that all the cabs should be placed on Bastion square. He would move to that effect. Not seconded.

Coun. Wriglesworth did not see why those vehicles should not be allowed to occupy that side of Government street as but two persons had yet complained.

Coun. Baker thought that the whole matter should be gone into. There should be a tariff of charges and every cabman should wear a badge.

His Worship remarked that the front of the Post Office seemed to be the least objectionable place onGovernment street.

Coun. Wriglesworth's motion was eventually carried.

WATER PIPES.

Coun. Wriglesworth reported that the difference between Messrs. Welch, Rithet & Co. and the fire wardens had been arranged and that the council could now get possession of the pipes if necessary.

It was considered advisable to hand in a written report on the matter in question.

MACADAM.

His Worship called the attention of the council to the large quantity of broken rock on hand and said it should be put on such streets as required it before the winter sets in.

Coun. Shears would move to that effect. Some $2000 had been expended in breaking rock and probably $200 would put it on the streets where required.

Seconded by Coun. Baker.

Coun. Boyd objected to any of the rock been put on the streets till the committee had reported on the matter.

Coun. Shears referred Coun. Boyd to the report on the subject drawn up by the street committee early in the year.

Motion carried.

A written report from the water works committee was here handed in and read recommending that the account of Welch, Rithet & Co. be paid in full. Report adopted and the account ordered to be paid.

KINGSTON STREET.

Coun. Baker called attention to the bad condition of the above street and thought that it should be gravelled at once or money expended for grading would be thrown away. He would move for tenders for gravelling said street. Seconded and carried.

UNPAID TAXES.

Coun. Shears moved that all unpaid taxes after 30th proximo bear interest at the rate of 1 per cent per month. Seconded and carried.

Council adjourned.

The High School Building.

The new High School building adjoins the public school building at the head of View street on the east. It is a handsome brick building with a shingled hipped roof with tin deck 21 ft. by 55 ft. The portion of the building containing the high schoolroom runs nearly north and south. The entrance on the north is very handsome and massive consisting of a granite arch, each of the jambs forming a solid block handsomely carved and dressed, the product of Mr. George Kirsop's chisel. On either side the entrance hall are cloak rooms 10x14 ft. fitted with porcelain lavatories. Beyond this the hall extends the whole breadth of the building for a short distance of 8 ft. to the door of the high schoolroom. This is a fine room 48x30 ft. and 15 ft. ceiling which is also the height of the two other rooms in the building. The room is floored with 1¼ inch pine and lined with wainscoating 3 ft. high, and above that there is 4 feet of blackboard. The room is lighted by four segmental headed windows placed in the bow at the southern end of the room and the ventilation is provided for by ventilating shafts, whose outlet is above the reof. Near the entrance of this room is the door leading into the adjoining classroom, in the wing running eastward to the main building. This room to the eastward of the high schoolroom is 30x32 ft. and finished in a similar manner being lighted from the south by two semicircular headed windows. In the rear of this room is a classroom, intended as an addition to the public school. There is, however, no entrance from the high school department. The entrance to this portion is on the south side of the building adjoining the public school through a long lobby 36 ft. by 8 ft. wide, at the end of which are two doors, that on the left leading into the old building and the other into the new classroom. This room is 20x42 ft. and is of the same height and finish as the other rooms, except that it is lighted by three windows. The building is one story with stone foundations and the opening of the windows are all faced with free stone. The contractor is Mr. William Wraight, Messrs. McKillican & Anderson having the contract for the joiner work. The tin work is by Mr. Henry Wilson, and the painting by Mr. Eli Harrison.

New Westminster.

(Columbian.)

Mr. Marcus Smith has gone over the railway line as far as work is in progress, for the purpose of making a thorough inspection before going to Ottawa.

We regret to have to announce the death, on Monday last, of a son of Mr. McInnes, of the Sunnyside Hotel, Granville; an interesting lad of some eight summers.

There is splendid snipe shooting on the Langley bottoms.

During Sunday night an attempt was made to burglarize the premises of Mr. Henry Debin, trader, Front street. Carefully removing four panes of glass and cutting the sash, the leading operator projected his head and shoulders through the aperture, and was in the act of lighting a match for the purpose of reconnoitering the premises, when the proprietor raised himself up in bed, and the fellow made quick exit and got away.

NICELY CAUGHT.—Two men made their escape last week from the penitentiary—prison on McNeil's Island, Puget Sound. Taking a boat belonging to the establishment, they landed at Mud Bay where they sold the boat and made their way over here. The authorities having tracked them, arrived in this city on Monday and while in the act of getting a warrant one of the convicts hove in sight and was nabbed. The other will most likely be keeping him company ere long.

Henry Melville, a settler of upper Sumas, has been missing since last May. Letters and goods are at Sumas postoffice awaiting his call. An Indian is supposed to have shot Melville in the woods.

Nanaimo.

(Free Press.)

The magnificent stern wheel steamer R. P. Rithet arrived in tish harbor on Sunday for a cargo of Wellington coal. A large number of citizens paid a visit to this splendid specimen of architecture. Capt. J. Irving and his officers were most courteous to the visitors showing and explaining to them the various appliances on board.

Mr. Stirtan is engaged in erecting an arch for Mr. R. Dunsmuir, M.P.P., in front of his residence on Albert and Wallace streets. The arch will be of very tasteful design and placed at the front entrance.

On Wednesday morning while George Baker and his brother were chopping at the South Field Mine, the axe flew off the handle and caught George Baker in the stomach, cutting through his clothes and deeply into the flesh. Dr. Cluness dressed the wound, putting in several stitches. It was almost a miracle the young man was not killed.

The Indian Department have donated $100 to aid the Indians to take part in the reception to be given at Nanaimo to the Governor-General and Princess Louise.

Capt. Rudlin has brought to Nanaimo large Spanish onions raised on Denman Island.

Marine.

Several salmon ships are daily expected and among them is the barque Latona, 1000 tons register, which vessel left Shanghai about the 1st ult. She is a new wooden British ship on her first voyage and consigned to Stahlschmidt & Ward.

OLD SUIT SETTLED.—Amongst the last cases tried before the late A. Rocke Robertson was one in which a Chinaman was sued by Mr. T. Harper. The plaintiff recovered about $2,100. The case was carried to Victoria on appeal, and a new trial granted. Lately the case was heard at Clinton and a judgment of $100 for plaintiff obtained.

HUNTING STONE.—Mr. Morris, of the firm of Kinipple & Morris, engineers of the Esquimalt dry dock, has gone to Nanaimo in company with Mr. Bennett, the resident engineer. They intend inspecting local quarries.

FROM NANAIMO.—The W. G. Hunt reached her wharf at her usual time yesterday afternoon with freight and passengers from Nanaimo and way ports.

BAILED AND AGAIN GAOLED. — Young Clarke, who was bailed on Tuesday was surrendered by his bondsman yesterday morning and again consigned to gaol.

The Yale Election.

The result of this contest will be made known to-day when the votes will be counted at Kamloops. Speculation as to the result is useless, although the district is generally conceded to have been carried by Martin by a good majority. The government failed in their attempt to carry the district with bogus votes though the honesty of the deputy returning officers, who firmly refused to allow the bogus men to obtain ballot-papers except in three cases, where they were smuggled in before attention was called to the fraud. At Yale one man offered to vote in one name and was refused. He was then driven to Emory and tried to vote in another name and was again refused. The most shameful corruption on the part of the government is openly charged. Money and liquor flowed like water.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Kingfisher was ready for sea this morning; but yesterday afternoon a dispatch advising the senior officer of orders from the Admiral concerning the Kingfisher was received and the vessel will not go to sea till Tuesday, and may remain on the station all winter. In April next Rear Admiral Lyons with the fleet will rendevous at Esquimalt. H. M. S. Sappho has gone to the northern coast from the Sandwich Islands.

DIED OF TYPHOID.—Word was received by Mrs. Jenns last mail of the death in Ontario of Herman Dufferin Robertson fifth son of the late Mr. Justice Robertson. Poor Duff. will be remembered by many as a sturdy, independent little fellow of five years old when he left this city last winter. Mrs. Robertson's many friends sympathize with her in her bereavement.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER. — Steamer Enterprise arrived from New Westminster yesterday afternoon with a few white passengers, among whom were T. Davie, M.P.P. and John McLellan, and a large number of Chinamen. She brought down 900 cases salmon from the Delta cannery for the mail steamer. The Princess Louise will take the place of the Enterprise to-morrow morning on the New Westminster route.

FROM THE ISLANDS.—Steamer Hope arrived yesterday from the Sound *via* the islands, with Messrs. J. L. Kee, J. Hastings, C. Brannan and C. Cole as passengers, and 30 tons freight, consisting of sheep, lime and farm produce.

MESSRS. Hall & Goepel discharged a steam schooner cargo of coal into the shed in course of erection on Turner, Beeton & Co.'s new wharf yesterday.

THE steamer Princess Louise will take the place of the Enterprise on the Westminster route for the winter, leaving tomorrow at 7 a. m.

A Philippic by the Late E. B. Wood.

The telegraph a few days ago announced the death of E. B. Wood, chief justice of Manitoba. At the last session of the Ottawa House a petition was presented by one Clarke, formerly attorney general of Manitoba, preferring charges against Wood and asking his removal. A correspondent of the Winnipeg *Times*, Conservative journal, writes a lengthy review of the whole case, in which he shows that the Chief Justice fully met Clarke's charges at every point and proved them false. A passage of the Chief Justice's answer is worth quoting as an illustration of the way in which the chief handles his opponent. A paragraph in the petition spoke of the painful duty Mr. Clarke had to perform in charging the Bench with corruption, and intimated that members of the bar were afraid to speak out against the Chief Justice. To this the latter replied:

"This paragraph is the unkindest cut of all. We are told Mr. Clarke actually prays it may be believed that it is most painful to him to be obliged in the interest of justice to adopt this mode of proceeding, as it must always be very painful to British subjects to acknowledge, much more to expose, the fact that there is corruption on the Bench. Mr. Clarke stands forth, regardless of consequences, as the self-constituted champion of the poor and timid suitors and of the trembling and truculent bar of Manitoba, all of whom are afraid to speak for fear of the vengeance of the Chief Justice. This makes his character complete. It reminds me of the invective of Lord Macauley on Barere, when assured that Barere always had a fervent and constant zeal for religion: 'Whatsoever things are false, whatsoever things are dishonest, whatsoever things are unjust, whatsoever things are hateful, whatsoever things are of evil report—if there be any vice, if there be any infamy—all these things we know are blended in.'—Clarke. One thing was wanting; that he has himself supplied. When to such an assemblage of qualities is added a profession of pain at an exhibition of himself as a vile calumniator, and a profession of sincere concern for the purity of the administration of justice, and proclaims himself a voluntary and unsolicited champion of timid suitors and a trembling bar, the effect becomes overpowering. One is wrapped in admiration and sinks under the contemplation of such exquisite and manifold perfection—is lost in amazement at such an exemplification of pure patriotism and of disinterested benevolence—of love of justice and right—of hatred of injustice and wrong! The exposure of public peculation under the pretence of the public service; or private robbery under the guise of criminal justice; of the apostacy of faith at the bidding of lust; of betrayal of friends; the abandonment of a wife; the seduction of a woman, the mother of many children; the breaking up of a once happy family and home—in short, the exposition of a life which is but one unbroken plane, replete with every vice, stained with every wickedness, and black with every infamy, unlighted by a single ray of virtue, can be a pleasure to no one. But when a man with such a character challenges notoriety in the most public manner possible, by presenting a petition to the Parliament of Canada, and to his Excellency-in-Council, hypocritically professing his regard for the purity of the administration of justice, that which is no pleasure becomes a duty, public considerations and private character are involved, and demand the exposure of the moral assassin. He was not sought. He has forced himself into notoriety. His carrion character, shunned by the dog and the crow, is too repulsive to be long kept under attention. Let him go. I leave him to his Excellency-in-Council to deal with as he deserves.

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A PETROLEUM RIVAL.

The Baku Wells on the Caspian Sea.

[London Times, Sept. 12.]

Our correspondent at Philadelphia described last week the important petroleum wells of Pennsylvania. Those of Baku, on the Caspian sea, a short account of which appeared also recently in the *Times*, are now the subject of a report from the vice-consul at Batoum, on the Black sea. The increasing importance of these wells has led to a project being set on foot for connecting Baku and Batoum by means of pipes, thus avoiding the difficulties and dangers of the railway transport of the oil. At Batoum the petroleum will be pumped into tank steamers, and when the arrangements are complete and in working order, the consul says:—"Very sanguine expectations are entertained as to the possibility of successfully competing with the American petroleum imported to Europe." Mr. Peacock writes the following description of the Baku petroleum territory: "The total area of the Baku petroleum region, taking its extreme points of surface oil, gas wells, etc., is not less than 1200 square miles. Its elevation above the level of the Caspian sea varies greatly. The Caspian is 86 feet below the level of the ocean. The general aspect of the region is that of a barren desert deprived of water and vegetation, checkered here and there with dried up salt lakes, natural outflows and pools of oil, gas wells and exhausted mud volcanos. Even on the surface of the Caspian natural outflows of petroleum and gas may be seen at certain places. The boring operations are mostly carried out on the peninsula of Apsheron, where the potential productiveness is considered to be much greater than that of American petroleum regions. Comparing the results achieved in the two countries on one side, and the average depth and total number of wells on the other, it may be justly stated that the natural petroleum riches of Baku, as far as our knowledge goes, have no parallel in the world. The lands are partly purchased and partly held by lease. The former comprise 680 desetines, or 1836 acres, sold by the crown to different parties by public auction for the sum of 2,980,307r, or above £300,000, at the rate of exchange in 1872 when the sale took place. For certain plots as much as £3,500 per acre has been paid. The yearly rent for leased crown land is only 10r per desetine, or about 7s. 6d. per acre. These lands were supposed to be worthless at the time, but the contrary has been proved since, and they now form a subject of wild speculation among the numerous moneyless leaseholders—very detrimental to legitimate business. A tract of the most valuable petroleum land, with an area of 270 acres has been granted to a certain number of high officials as a token of imperial favor. In 1873 the total number of wells sunk by way of drilling was seventeen. The total number is now above 376. The average depth of borings is 350 feet; the deepest well 637 feet, with a diameter from ten inches to fourteen inches. The number of unproductive wells from natural causes is comparatively small; but a great many wells are abandoned for want of means or skill to continue the boring, or still more frequently on account of the extremely low price of crude petroleum. Flowing wells yielding from 2000 to 4000 barrels (eight poods or forty gallons to the barrel) daily, and pumping wells yielding from 300 to 600 barrels daily are of common occurrence." The total quantity produced in 1873 was 300,000 barrels, and in 1881 this rose to between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000, besides immense quantities of crude petroleum, which was wasted at the place of production for want of adequate means of tankage and transportation. The export of the different petroleum products from Baku by sea amounted to 2,946,000 barrels in 1881, against 1,702,200 in 1879.

BIG POKER.

A Foreign Minister Who Lost $300,000 to a New York Millionaire.

(Detroit Free Press.)

A heavy game of poker was played not very long since, as I am credibly informed, in the mansion of a New York millionaire. The millionaire is also a banker, whose name is well known from the Hudson to San Francisco. I am not at liberty to put it in print, and for this very good reason I refrain from so doing. He has long had the reputation of being one of the boldest poker players in New York, and some of the heaviest games on record have been played in his house, where he dispenses a princely hospitality. In the particular game in question, if my information is correct, a foreign Minister, who must also be nameless, though I may say that he is a social celebrity in Washington, and not unknown in other places, found himself mulcted out of $300,000.

He was well acquainted with the banker and had joined poker parties at his house several times before. On the occasion in question the party consisted of five, all with millions to draw upon and courage to back a strong hand for all it was worth. They had played some time before anything unusual happened. The hands were ordinary, and there was nothing exciting in the game. Along towards midnight, however, the cards took a sort of new departure. The first deal gave the banker the eight, nine, ten and jack of hearts. He discarded a spade, took one card, and found it to be a queen of hearts. So strong a straight flush as that might not come out twice in ten thousand times. He was elated, but his face gave no sign.

The Minister called for two cards. He already held three kings, and in the draw he got a fourth. The prospect for a contest was good—four kings against a straight flush, and the players full of grit. The betting began low, but soon got up to fifties, and the other players whose hands were not of much account then dropped out. The banker raised the figures to $100. The minister put up $100 and said: "I raise you $500." The banker saw the $500 and raised it $1,000. The war then began in earnest. The bets ran up to $4,000, $10,000, $20,000. The men who had dropped out held their breath. The two who stood in had their blood up and each felt that his hand was good enough for one figure. In a few minutes the pot represented $500,000. At that point the banker showed a disposition to halt, but the minister was not satisfied. He raised another $20,000, and the banker saw it and went $10,000 better. The Minister followed with $25,000. "All right," said the banker; "I see your $25,000 and call your hand." That was the end of it. When the minister laid down his four kings the banker put his straight flush beside them without a word. The minister seemed a little surprised, but merely said: "Very good; the money is yours." He had lost $300,000, but it did not sour him a bit. The game was not resumed, but he talked as pleasantly as if he had won a fortune instead of losing one. The banker seemed embarrassed, and his friends who had dropped out of the game were uncomfortable. He decided on the spot that it would not do to have any more poker playing in his room. It might be said hat he drew his friends there to fleece them. He still plays a game now and then, but only at the club.

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In explanation of the above we desire to say that the old plan of charging for the gross weight of the case, as if it were all gold, worked well enough as long as the manufacturers were content with the amount of brass and steel actually required in its construction; but when the business was degraded into a contest as to who should get the most base metal into the least quantity of gold and call it a GOLD case, then the time came when, in the interest of dealers in American Watches, it became necessary to adopt a plan of selling, showing the buyer exactly how much GOLD each case contained.

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Glass Shingles.

A patent has been taken out for the manufacture of shingles composed of glass. It is claimed for this material that it is so much more durable, stronger and more impervious to rain than slate or any other substance now used. The manufacture of the shingles will also be comparatively inexpensive, and can be placed in by any ordinary workman. These shingles have the advantage of slate in several particulars. In consequence of their shape they lie solid on the roof, and can be used on comparatively flat roofs, and they will admit of persons on them without danger of fracture, a quality which slate does not possess. They are interlocked so as to leave no interstices between them, and one rivet holds each pair of shingles, so that they cannot be forced from their places by the wind or atmospheric disturbances. They are also made so as to have very little waste material. It takes 300 slates, each 8x12 inches, to cover what is technically known as a "square roof" (a square measuring ten feet either way) but 150 of these shingles will suffice for the same space. Glass is likewise a non-conductor of electricity, and houses with these roofs will need no lightning conductors. Although the kind of glass intended to be used in these shingles is non-transparent glass, a roof with colored border and opalescent body is said to be very handsome.

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Freight and Baggage for shipment by her are required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 p. m. on Thursday, 19th inst.

The steamer Woodside will convey passengers from our wharf at 9 a. m. on date of sailing.

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WILL HAVE QUICK DISPATCH FOR WRANGEL on her return from the North, which is hourly expected. oc17

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Victoria, 11th Oct., 1882. oc13

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Victoria, B.C., 12th Oct., 1882. oc13

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Victoria, 23d Sept., 1882. se24

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Commencing at a stake on the East shore of Kootenay Lake, being about 12 miles in a Northeasterly direction from the outlet of Kootenay Lake said stake being on the North shore of a small bay, thence true East 40 chains; thence true North 40 chains: thence true West 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Kootenay Lake; thence in a Southerly direction, along the meanderings of the lake, to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres or more.

GEO. J. AINSWORTH.

Victoria, Sept. 5th, 1882. se6d1w8w

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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one hundred and sixty (160) acres of land at Kootenay Lake, described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the West shore of Kootenay Lake, about 8 miles North of the Hot Springs; thence true West 40 chains; thence true North 40 chains, thence true East 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Kootenay Lake; thence in a Southerly direction along the shore line of Kootenay Lake to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres or more.

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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one hundred and sixty (160 acres of land at Kootenay Lake, described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake about 4 miles in a Northerly direction from the outlet of the Kootenay Lake and about 20 chains south of the Hot Springs; thence from said stake true West 40 chains; thence true North 40 chains; thence true East 40 chains, more or less, to the West shore of Kootenay Lake; thence in a Southerly direction along the shore line of Kootenay Lake to the point of commencement and containing 160 acres or more.

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1882.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 70,360 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$150,833 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	20,149 00	Gold Bullion	8,861 00
Deposits on CALL not bearing interest	189,597 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	5,277 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	205,483 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	139,395 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	198,807 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$485,589 00	Total Amount of Assets	$518,231 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1882 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ..... 6 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year ..... $150,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend ..... $355,000.

VICTORIA, B.C., 16th Oct., 1882.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) C. H. BURNS, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 16th day of Oct., 1882.

oc17 (Signed) R. P. RITHET, J. P.

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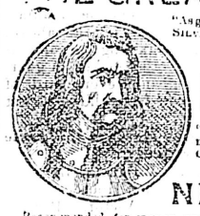

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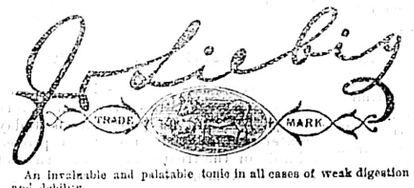

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Commencing at Southeast corner of Sunday Rock; from thence East 80 chains; from thence South 80 chains; from thence West 80 chains; from thence in a Northerly direction, along the coast, to post at point of commencement, 80 chains.

REGINALD NUTTALL.

Victoria, Aug. 30th, 1882. se3

NOTICES.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate on the South Arm of Smith's Inlet, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the Northeast corner of James Reid's claim; thence 40 chains along the shore line, Easterly; thence 40 chains Southerly; thence 40 chains Westerly; thence 40 chains Northerly to place of commencement.

JOHN GRANT.

Victoria, 8th August, 1882. au15

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Commencing at a point, being the Northwest corner of James Reid's claim; thence Southerly 40 chains; thence Westerly 40 chains; thence Northerly 40 chains; thence Easterly 40 chains, along shore line to place of commencement.

ROBERT GRANT.

Victoria, 8th August, 1882. au15

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land on Smith's Inlet, described as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the North Fork of the Inlet, at the mouth of a creek, being the Southwest corner post; thence 40 chains along said creek to the Northwest post; thence 40 chains Easterly to the Northeast post; thence Southerly 40 chains to the Southeast post; thence Westerly along the shore of the Inlet to the place of commencement; said land being bounded on the West by C. Taylor's claim.

JOE HEYWOOD.

Victoria, 8th August, 1882. au15

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Commencing at a point on the North Fork of the Inlet, at the mouth of a creek, being the southeast corner; thence following the creek a distance of 40 chains Northerly to the Northeast corner post; thence 40 chains Westerly to the Northwest corner; thence Southerly 40 chains to the Southwest corner; thence along shore line to place of commencement; said land being bounded on the East by J. Heywood's claim.

CRISPIN TAYLOR.

Victoria, 8th August, 1882. au15

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND making application to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of Crown land situate on Texada Island, New Westminster District, British Columbia, bounded as follows:—

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Northeast ¼ of Section Four (4); thence true North 80 chains; thence true East 40 chains; thence true South 80 chains; thence true West 40 chains, to the initial point.

WM. WILSON.

Victoria, Aug. 14th, 1882. au15

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND making application to purchase one hundred and sixty acres (more or less) of Crown land situate on Texada Island, New Westminster District, British Columbia, bounded as follows:—

Commencing at a stake placed at the Southwest corner of the Southeast quarter of Section One (1); thence true North to the Northwest corner of said quarter section; thence true West 40 chains; thence true South to the sea shore; thence in an Easterly direction, following the sinuosities of the seashore, to point of commencement.

D. W. MOORE.

Victoria, Aug. 14th, 1882. au15

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of Land situate on Flores Island, West of Vancouver Island, described as follows:—

Commencing at a post at the entrance of small inlet on the West east of Flores Island in Sydney Inlet; from thence East 40 chains; from thence South 40 chains; from thence West 40 chains; from thence North, to point of commencement, 40 chains.

REGINALD NUTTALL.

Victoria, Aug. 29th, 1882. se3

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Commencing at a point a low water mark and a at post marked M at the mouth of Kildella River, about 2½ miles south from Shotbolt's Cannery, being the Southwest corner; thence 40 chains West to the Northwest corner; thence 40 chains North to the Northeast corner; thence 40 chains East to the Southeast corner; thence following shore line to place of commencement.

WM. MUNSIE.

Victoria, B. C., August 21, 1882. au27

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land (more or less), in Kootenay Discrict, described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the West shore of Kootenay Lake, about 1 miles North of the Hot Springs, being the Southeast stake of Geo. J. Ainsworth's location; thence true West, 40 chains; thence true South 40 chains; thence true East 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Kootenay Lake; thence in a Northerly direction, along the shore line of Kootenay Lake, to the point of commencement.

E. B. MARVIN.

Victoria, Sept 11th, 1882. se24

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Commencing at a post at low water mark on the West side of a creek called Quashielah; thence 40 chains Westerly along shore of inlet (towards Indian village) to corner post; thence Southerly 40 chains to corner post; thence Easterly 40 chains to corner post; thence Northerly 40 chains along said creek to place of commencement.

W. E. BLACKETT.

Victoria, Sept. 21st, 1882. se22 2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate at Otter Cove, Johnson Straits, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake in Otter Cove; thence true West 40 chains; thence true North 40 chains; thence true East 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Otter Cove; thence in a Southerly direction along the shore line of Otter Cove to the point of commencement.

JOHN A. COTTRELL.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 27th, 1882. se28

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of land, situate at Elk Bay, Johnson Straits, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake about half-a-mile in a Southeasterly direction from the mouth of a Creek running into Elk Bay; thence true West 40 chains; thence true North 80 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Elk Bay; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the shore line of Elk Bay to the point of commencement.

JOHN A. COTTRELL.

Victoria, B.C. Sept. 27th, 1882. se28

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Hesquiat Harbor, Vancouver Island:—

Commencing at a point North of and adjoining the Indian Ranch; thence West 80 chains; from thence South 80 chains; from thence East 80 chains; and from thence in a Northerly direction to post at point of commencement.

REGINALD NUTTALL.

Victoria, Aug. 29th, 1882. se3

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate on the Peninsula at Hesquiat, Vancouver Island, described as follows:—

Commencing at a post at the point called Sunday Rocks; from thence North 80 chains; from thence East 80 chains; from thence South 80 chains; from thence to point of commencement 80 chains.

REGINALD NUTTALL.

Victoria, Aug. 29th, 1882. se3

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate on Flores Island, West of Vancouver Island, described as follows:—

Commencing at a creek in large bay South of Flores Island; from thence North 40 chains; from thence West 40 chains; from thence South 40 chains; from thence along the coast, in an Easterly direction, to post at point of commencement 40 chains.

REGINALD NUTTALL.

Victoria, Aug. 29th, 1882. se3

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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situate at Hesquiat Harbor, Vancouver Island, described as follows:—

Commencing at a post near Indian Ranch, on the West side of the harbor; from thence West 80 chains; from thence South 80 chains; from thence East 80 chains, and from thence, in a Northerly direction, to post at point of commencement.

REGINALD NUTTALL.

Victoria, Aug. 30th, 1882. se3

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of Crown land situate on Texada Island, New Westminster District, British Columbia, bounded as follows:—

Commencing at the Northwest corner of the Southwest quarter of Section Two (2); thence true North 40 chains; thence true East 80 chains; thence true South 40 chains; thence West along the Northern boundary of the South half of Section 2, to the point of commencement.

WM. DALBY.

Victoria, Aug 14th, 1882. au15

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to purchase one hundred and sixty acres (more or less) of Crown land situate on Texada Island, New Westminster District, British Columbia, bounded as follows:—

Commencing at a post on the seashore, being the Southeast corner of the Northwest quarter of Section Four (4) thence true North to the Northeast corner of said quarter section; thence true East 40 chains; thence true South 40 chains; thence true West to the seashore; thence in a Westerly direction, following the sinuosities of the coast, to the point of commencement.

HY. SAUNDERS.

Victoria, Aug. 14th, 1882. au15

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land situated on Smith's Inlet, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the South Fork of Smith Inlet, about 20 chains West of a creek called Quashellah, being the Northwest corner post; thence South 40 chains to the Southwest corner post; thence 40 chains East to the Southeast corner post; thence 40 chains North to the Northeast corner post; thence following the shore of the Inlet, crossing the said creek at its mouth, to the place of commencement.

JAMES REID.

Victoria, B.C., July 10th, 1882. au8

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Victoria, 5th August, A.D. 1882.

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CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

Barkerville, B. C., Aug. 25th, 1882 au8dw

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO MAKE application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated on the North bank of Thompson Sound described as follows:—

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